

TERRIBLE FIGHT CONTINUES ON RUSS FRONTIER

FRESH GERMAN SOLDIERS ARRIVE TO MEET CZAR'S FORCES.

ALL REPORTS DISAGREE

Berlin and St. Petersburg Issue Conflicting Statements.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 31—Terrific fighting continues on the Austro-Russian frontier and both the combined Austrian-German forces and the Russians claim the advantage.

The appearances of fresh forces of Germans on the Prussian frontier seems to bear out the recent statements from Belgium that the Germans have been with drawing troops from the western front to reinforce the Austro-German lines in the east.

GERMANS TOOK MANY RUSS PRISONERS

Berlin, Aug. 31 (Wireless to the Associated Press Via Sayville, L. I.)—It was officially announced today that 30,000 Russians had been taken prisoner by the Germans during the fighting in East Prussia, particularly at Ortelburg, Hopenstein and Tannen berg. The prisoners include many officers of high rank. The German attacks at these points were across swamps and lakes.

FRESH GERMAN TROOPS IN PRUSSIA

London, Aug. 31—This afternoon an official telegram declared that fresh forces of Germans are approaching the Prussian frontier and that at some points they are taking the offensive against the Russians.

TWO MILLION GERMAN VOLUNTEERS

Berlin, Aug. 30 (Via Copenhagen and London)—Total German casualties made public up to the present time are: 1143 dead; 3326 wounded; 1761 missing.

It is announced that two million volunteers have presented themselves for service.

RUSSIANS STILL ADVANCING IN EAST

London, Aug. 31—A dispatch to the Post from St. Petersburg says: "The Russians are still advancing. For the past three days there has been fierce fighting around Koenigsberg. Some Russian cavalry has entered the outlying defenses of Koenigsberg."

"On the Austrian frontier obstinate fighting continues."

"The Russians have taken 3,000 prisoners east of Lemberg and 1000 near Tomacheff."

"The fifteenth Hungarian division was surrounded and it surrendered."

"Desperate fighting is in progress at Lublin."

GERMAN REPORT CLAIMS BIG VICTORIES

Berlin, Aug. 28 (Via Copenhagen

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FIVE HUNDRED "KIDS" WANTED.

John McIntyre advertises in the Telegraph, asking for five hundred boys and girls to come to his coal office in Dementtown, on the corner of Depot avenue and Seventh street tomorrow, Tuesday, morning, between eight and nine o'clock. Mr. McIntyre says the boys and girls who come must be over six years old and under sixteen. Be there bright and early, children. We don't know what he wants of you, but you better not take any chances on missing something.

COMPANY G DRILL.

Company G will meet at the Armory at 8 o'clock this evening for their regular weekly drill.

THOUGHT DRIVER WAS PITCHED INTO RIVER

POLICE BELIEVED GEO. TRAINER OF NEAR FRANKLIN GROVE WAS DEAD.

BUGGY FOUND ON RIVER ROAD

Team Ran Away and Collided With Post on River Bank—Driver is Thrown Out—Walked to City.

For several hours Saturday night and Sunday morning the Dixon police were of the belief that the body of George Trainer who resides north of Franklin Grove, was in Rock river; it being theorized that he had been thrown from his buggy into the stream when his team ran away on the river road east of the city late Saturday night.

This theory was given strength by Trainer's disappearance immediately after the runaway, and not until noon Sunday did he show up at Manges feed shed. In the meantime his frantic wife had come in search of him and the police theory that he had been drowned gained in strength.

Team Ran Away.

Trainer had started home late Saturday night when his team became frightened and ran wildly east on the River road. The driver was thrown out, and it is believed that he immediately returned to town without looking for his horses. The animals ran wildly ahead, threw the buggy into a telephone pole which completely wrecked the vehicle, and freed them from it, and continued their flight up the river. The fact that the buggy was found near the river and no trace of the driver could be found, caused the belief that he had been thrown into the stream.

EXPLOSION OF AIR TANK CAUSED DAMAGE

ACCIDENT SUNDAY MORNING IN NETZ GARAGE CAUSED \$500 DAMAGE.

The explosion of a compressed air tank at George Netzt's garage at about 6:30 Sunday morning caused damage to the building, switchboard and automobiles to the amount of about \$500; and but for a circumstance, Joe Hamil, the night man at the garage might have been seriously hurt. He had started down stairs to shut off the pump, which was adjacent to the tank, just a moment or two before the explosion, but he was called back to get some oil for a tourist.

The big tank, which was used to supply air for pumping up tires, was supposed to be so arranged that the safety valve would open at 140 pounds pressure. Whether the pressure had reached this point before the explosion is not known. Mr. Hamil had started the pump a few minutes before and had gone back up stairs to assist a tourist. The tourist had inflated the tires of his machine and Hamil was on the point of going back down stairs to shut off the pump, when he was called to get some oil. As he turned from the doorway the building was shaken by the explosion.

Rushing down stairs Hamil found evidence of the force with which this big tank had blown up. Every window in the rear of the basement was broken out. A huge switchboard on which has been fastened an expensive ammeter, was wrecked and the rear end of Dr. Singley's automobile, which stood near by was crushed in.

CONCLAVE INAUGURATED TODAY

(Associated Press)

Rome, Aug. 31—The Conclave of the Cardinals of the Roman Catholic church to elect a successor to Pope Pius X was inaugurated today with imposing ceremonies.

"RED CROSS" SAIL SATURDAY

(Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 31—The Hamburg-American steamship Hamburg, which has been chartered by the American Red Cross Society, has been renamed "Red Cross" and will set sail Saturday for Europe with surgeons and nurses.

MEXICO AGAIN CAUSES UNITED STATES TROUBLE

GEN. FUNSTON ASKS FOR MORE TROOPS TO CURB UNRULY REBELS.

CARRANZA TURNED TRAITOR?

Officials Say He Has Harassed the Americans—See Crisis in Near Future.

(Associated Press.)

Mexico City, Aug. 31—President Carranza has dismissed the police force of the capital and has substituted Constitutional troops.

Fighting is reported at Xalisco, between Constitutionalists and a force of men under General Bandera, a former Federal leader.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 31—Brig. Gen. Frederick A. Funston, commander in chief of the American forces in Mexico, has called for a reinforcement of troops from the United States.

This is the sensational news which has been suppressed for three days by the war department. It became public accidentally today. It looks as though the Mexican trouble is about to blaze up again and American army officers are predicting that there will be intervention by the United States before the war in Europe ends.

Strains Patience of Wilson.

Since becoming provisional president General Carranza has conducted himself in a manner that has strained the patience of the administration almost to the breaking point.

In official circles it is declared that Carranza has turned traitor to the United States, which gave him his power by driving out Huerta and that from the day he assumed dictatorship over the affairs of Mexico he has harassed Americans and has done everything possible to make himself and his government obnoxious.

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RURAL SCHOOLS ARE IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL YEARS IN HISTORY OF COUNTY IS EXPECTED.

Practically all of the rural schools of Lee county commenced their fall terms this morning, and in view of the improved equipment and buildings and the zeal the teachers have displayed in bettering their standings during the summer County Superintendent is sanguine for one of the best years the schools of the county have ever had.

During the summer nearly every ungraded school house in the county has received needed attention. New seats, new blackboards, cement walks, new heaters, etc., have been supplied where needed as a result the schools of the county are now in much better condition than ever before.

And while the directors of the various districts have been doing all in their power for the betterment of the young people, the teachers have not been idle. An exceptionally large number, through study, review and examination this summer, entered upon their school work this fall with certificates of higher grade—a most promising indication for the progress of school work in Lee county.

GUZMAN CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Steven Guzman, a foreigner residing east of the city, was arrested this morning on a warrant issued in Police Magistrate Kent's court charging him with assault and battery on the person of Jacob Danak, who is the complaining witness. He will be given a preliminary hearing this evening.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

Fred Geer of Los Angeles, Cal., and John Geer of Liberty, Neb., have been called to Dixon by the critical illness of their mother, Mrs. James Geer.

ANNOUNCE DATES OF ENTERTAINMENTS

Y. M. C. A. HAS PROVIDED EXCELLENT COURSE FOR THIS WINTER.

FIVE HIGH CLASS NUMBERS

Will Commence September 30—Concession to Association Members.

Announcement of the annual entertainment course of the Dixon Young Men's Christian Association was made this morning, and it is assured that the patrons of the affair will be given some exceedingly interesting numbers; five and possibly six high grade entertainments having been arranged for.

In order that members of the association may receive greater benefit from the course than in former years the board of directors has decided to issue season tickets to members of the association at one-half the regular price. No doubt this concession will be greatly appreciated by them. The following attractions have been contracted for:

The Seminary Girls, Sept. 30.
Summer's Entertainers, Nov. 19.
Castle Square Quartet, Jan. 22.
The Great Wassmann, Magician and Illusionist, March 13.
McCormick & Bronte, the greatest educated dog extant, date to be announced later.

New Officers Ready.

The new officials at the Dixon Young Men's Christian Association: Physical Director Harry Major and Building Superintendent George McWethy will take up their duties tomorrow morning. The physical appliances at the building have been put in first class condition and the work will progress most satisfactorily if the present plans of the officials are carried out.

It is planned to open the bowling alleys in about a week, providing the weather remains seasonable as it is now. The alleys have been thoroughly overhauled and are in excellent condition.

TWENTY DAYS IN JAIL FOR WETTLE

WAS ARRAIGNED BEFORE JUDGE SCOTT SATURDAY P. M.—PLEADED GUILTY

W. F. Wettle, who was arrested at Lincoln, Ill., last week by Deputy Sheriff R. R. Phillips, was arraigned before Judge R. H. Scott in the county court Saturday afternoon on information furnished by the states attorney, at which time he entered a plea of guilty to the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He was sentenced to twenty days in the county jail, with a fine of \$1.

PAWPAW STIRRED BY BOLD HOLD-UP

CHESTER LANCASTER ROBBED OF \$40 AND WATCH SUNDAY NIGHT.

Pawpaw, Aug. 31—Special to the Telegraph—Chester Lancaster of this city was the victim of a holdup Sunday night when two strangers slugged him and robbed him of \$40 in cash and his gold watch. He was unable to recognize either of his assailants, and accordingly blood hounds were brought here from Rock Falls. The dogs, however, failed to pick up the trail.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations at the weather bureau New York taken at 8 p. m., as follows:

Temp.	Weather
Washington74	Clear
Boston70	Clear
Buffalo70	Part Cloudy
Chicago80	Clear
St. Louis89	Clear
New Orleans89	Cloudy

Weather For Tomorrow.
Illinois, Indiana, lower Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa—Fair and warmer.

Sunday72	56
Monday85	62

GERMAN LINES NOW ONLY SIXTY MILES FROM PARIS—TROOPS ARE RUSHED TO DEFENSE OF CAPITAL

ORDER BOAT HOUSES OFF E. WATER STREET

COUNCIL PASSED A RESOLUTION DOOMING "LONG BOAT HOUSE" AND TWO OTHERS.

STREET MUST BE WIDENED

Riverside Driveway Needs More Room at Certain Points Along the North River Bank.

The most important action taken by the members of the city commission at their regular meeting this morning was to pass a resolution ordering the removal from their present positions of certain boat houses occupying places on the banks along the north shore of Rock river above the Dixon dam. Only three of the boat houses are affected by the order, say the commissioners. The "Long boat house," which many years ago was the club house and boat house of the old Dixon Boating association, is one of the structures doomed by the order.

The reason for the act as given by the commissioners this morning is that the widening of Water street, preparatory to macadamizing it and making a parkway drive along the bank, cannot be carried through until certain of the boat houses have been moved. The commissioners say that the "long boat houses" and one or two others are on the street and therefore must be moved.

Commissioner Schuler sign the motion to adopt the resolution and it was agreed to send notices. The suggestion of Commissioner Gannon, to the various owners of boat houses, Commissioner Schuler claimed that no one has a title to the "Long Boat

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VOTERS SHOULD NOT FORGET SUBDIVISION

OLD FIRST PRECINCT HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO TWO—WHICH ARE YOU IN NOW?

At the coming primary election, which will be held Wednesday, Sept. 9, the added voting precinct will be given its initiation; for it will be remembered that at the June meeting of the Board of Supervisors, the first precinct of Dixon township was divided into two districts, as follows:

District No. 1—All of that territory south of the river and east of the center line of Galena avenue from Rock river to First street, thence south on said center line of Dixon avenue to the center line of E. Seventh street and Chicago street to the township limits.

District No. 2—All of that part of Dixon township south of Rock river and east of the center line of Galena avenue from the center line of East First street to the township limits and of the center lines of Dixon avenue and Chicago street.

The polling place of the new district No. 1 will be at Hart & Netzt's garage, while the polling place for the new district No. 2, will be at the Shaw building on First street, the old polling place of the first district.

The numbers of each of the other districts have been advanced one number.

HILLSBORO GIRL CAUSED ARREST

Lynn Baker, a young fellow who has been employed at various places about the city, was arrested this morning by officials of the sheriff's office on information received from Hillsboro charging him with a statutory crime, the complainant being a Hillsboro girl. A deputy sheriff from that city arrived here today and took Baker back with him to answer the charge.

FRENCH EMBASSY AT LONDON ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING SITUATION IS OF "MUCH GRAVITY"—ALLIES HAVE FALLEN BACK TO LA FERRE, WHICH IS BUT SIXTY MILES FROM THE FRENCH CAPITAL—TROOP TRAINS POURED SOLDIERS INTO PARIS DURING THE NIGHT TO MAN THE FORTIFICATIONS—ZEPPELIN DROPPED BOMBS ON THE CITY.

MAY MOVE FRENCH CAPITAL TO BORDEAUX

(Associated Press)

GERMANS ARE ONLY SIXTY MILES FROM PARIS

London, Aug. 31—The Post calls attention to a statement of the French embassy as indicating that the allied forces were again compelled to call back before the German advance in the neighborhood of LaFere.

LaFere is twenty miles nearer Paris than the line where the allies reorganized after the Germans had crossed the French border, and it is only sixty miles from Paris.

Fighting is also reported in the vicinity of Amiens.

A statement issued by the French embassy disclosed a situation of "much gravity."

TROOPS ARRIVE IN PARIS TO DEFEND CITY

London, Aug. 31—Up to noon today no official announcement had been made at London or Paris.

However, according to a dispatch from Paris today, the French capital is preparing for a siege. All night long troops arrived from the south and west of France and were assigned to the fortifications around the city.

All out-going trains have been filled with non-combatants.

WILL ADVERTISE ELK'S CLAM BAKE

PRIZES OF BOOSTERS TO GO EVERY DIRECTION FROM DIXON.

A campaign of advertising the fourth annual clam bake of the Dixon Elks which will be held next Monday at the Truman farm, will be commenced tomorrow when parties of boosters will leave this city in automobiles to take in every town in this section of the state. In every community they will see that every person knows what is going on in Dixon on Labor day, and as a result it is expected that the crowd will be larger next Monday than ever before. Here are the boosters who are going:

Rockford trip—Jule Williams, Dick Phillips, Harvey Senneff, A. B. Whitcombe, George Dixon, William Ford, Jay Atkins.

Freeport trip—G. G. McCarty, Geo. E. Hoynton, Mark D. Smith, George Netzt, Angier Wilson, Bryans Brothers, C. P. Herrick, Webster Poole.

Ottawa trip—Lee Dysart, Joseph Gooch, Wilbur Leake, Bradford Brinton, W. O. Carson, Joe Miller, B. F. Downing, J. W. Crawford.

DeKalb trip—Collins Dysart, E. J. Countryman, W. W. Phillips, William Gilbert, H. L. Fordham, John E. Moyer.

On Wednesday another "bunch" will go west, stopping at Sterling, Morrison and other cities and towns enroute. This party will consist of Charles Leake, W. J. McAlpine, H. W. Harp, A. A. Rowland, F. X. Newcomer, Frank M. Coe.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT OPENED

(Associated Press)

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 31—The 48th annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was officially opened here today.

FRANCE MAY MOVE THE CAPITAL

Washington, D. C., Aug. 31—According to official advice received here France is considering the advisability of moving the capital from Paris to Bordeaux.

TELL OF BRAVERY OF BRITISH TROOPS

Washington, D. C., Aug. 31—Seventy thousand English troops for three days held in check 200,000 Germans until French reinforcements arrived, according to information received by neutral diplomats. This fighting was mentioned in Kitchen-er's dispatch last night.

FRENCH OFFICE TELLS OF SITUATION

Paris, Aug. 31—An official statement summarizes the situation to date: "In the center we have had alternate checks and reverses. On our left the Anglo-French forces have been obliged to give way. Our armies remain intact and the morale of the troops is excellent despite our considerable losses."

GERMAN AUTO TRUCKS ARE MARVELS

London, Aug. 31—Arno Doech, correspondent of the World's Work magazine, arrived in London today from Belgium. Telling of the sack of Louvain by the Germans he said: "Only the big cathedral was visible above the smoking ruins of the city. I heard that an American bishop was spared by displaying the American flag."

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SATURDAY AUGUST 29 1914

WE are BRUSH

Mon. BRUNSWICKS 4 TO 0
SUNDAY'S CITY LEAGUE
GAME.

WERE DIVIDED

Timmons and Lightner Each Pitched
Swell Ball—Latter Facing the
Forenoon.

The Buster Browns, who played for the Brunswick Saturday for the defeat handed them by the leaders in the last game, played by the two teams; for in yesterday's contest the Phoenicians were outtop by a 4 to 0 score when the captain was rung down before a very poor crowd of fans.

Timmons and Lightner were opposed to each other in yesterday's game, and each allowed but four hits. The luck of the game however shaded Timmons, and he got the decision. The Browns showed one run across by the fifth and another in the eighth. The score:

Brunswicks:	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Curran, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	2
R. Curran, 1 f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hogan, ss.	4	0	0	0	3	0
Lightner, p	3	0	1	1	3	1
Joe Valle, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Haley, rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Boers, cf	3	0	2	2	0	0
Lenox, c	3	0	0	12	1	0
Barry, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0

Totals 28 0 4 26 9 3

* Valle out on infield fly.

Busters:	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burke, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Larkins, 2b	5	1	1	1	2	1
Woodyatt, 3b	3	0	0	13	0	0
Emmert, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Steffenitch, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McCarthy, cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Heft, c	3	0	1	7	1	0
Timmons, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Long, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0

Totals 30 4 4 26 11 1

* Lightner interfered with ball.

Browns: 0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 4

Brunswicks: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Two base hits, F. Curran, Heft.

Hit by pitcher, Burke and Steffenitch.

Struck out by Lightner, by Timmons, 5. First on balls off Lightner, 4; off Timmons, 1. Double plays, H. Woodyatt unassisted, Haley to Woodyatt.

City League Standing.	W.	L.	Per.
Brunswicks	9	5	.643
I. N. U.	7	7	.500
Stars	6	7	.462
Browns	6	8	.429

THE BASEBALL SCORE

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
N. Y.	.63 50 .558 Cin.	.54 62 .466
Bos.	.63 51 .553 Phil.	.53 61 .465
St. L.	.64 57 .529 Brook.	.53 62 .461
Chi.	.61 57 .517 Pitts.	.52 63 .452

At St. Louis—	R. H. E.
Boston	10 0 0 10 0 0 0—2 8 2
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 1 1

At Cincinnati—	R. H. E.
Cincinnati	0 0 0 10 0 10—2 7 1
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 4—0 6 1

Yingling, Schneider and Gonzales; Alexander and Killifer.	R. H. E.
Second game—	
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 10 0 0—1 5 4
Philadelphia	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2 6 4

At Chicago—	R. H. E.
New York	4 0 0 0 2 10 0 1—8 11 0
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 8 5

AMERICAN LEAGUE.					
W. L. Pct.			W. L.		
Phil. ...	81	38 .681	Chi. ...	58	63
Bos. ...	66	49 .574	St. L. ...	55	63
Wash. ...	61	55 .526	N. Y. ...	55	64
Det. ...	60	60 .500	Cleve. ...	39	83

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

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W. L. Pct.			W. L.		
Ind.	. . . 66	52 .559	Buf.	. . . 56	55
Chi.	. . . 64	52 .552	K. C.	. . . 56	63
Bal.	. . . 60	53 .531	St. L.	. . . 52	65
Brook.	. . . 58	56 .506	Pitts.	. . . 48	64

At St. Louis—	R. H. E.
Chicago	0 0 0 0 10 0 0 0—2 3 7
St. Louis	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 8 3

At Kansas City—	R. H. E.
Indianapolis	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—4 11 1
Kansas City	1 0 0 1 0 4 0 0—6 8 1

Johnson and Easterly; Billard, Whitehouse and Raden.	R. H. E.
Second game—	
Indianapolis	0 0 0 0 0 10 0 0—1 6 2
Kansas City	2 0 0 2 0 2 0 0—6 15 2

Kaiserling and Raden; Stone, Easterly and Euzenroth.

REMARKABLE STRUGGLE
IN NATIONAL LEAGUEFOUR CLUBS ARE IN CLOSE RACE
FOR THE PENNANT
HONORS.

Boston Continues at New York's
Heels, Ready to Take
the Lead.

(Associated Press)

New York, Aug. 30.—The remarkable four-club struggle for the lead in the National league absorbed base ball attention throughout the week. Boston and Chicago added to the excitement caused by Boston's repulse of the Cardinals and Chicago's repulse of the Cubs. The result of one day's play was also worked dangerous. The game opened, however, as the fight for leadership had narrowed for the moment at least to the Giants and Brooklyn Stallions' men sort of ball play, able to distodge McGraw's two days in St. Louis prevented their force were losing even though the Giants frequently during the week.

Eastern Teams lead. Today's game drove the two western teams further to the rear and left Boston and New York in the advantage, the Giants having a brace to go. The champions took a brace to go. On the other hand, the break in the winning career which had been predicted in some quarters did not materialize for the Braves have not lost their last three games. The prize for a chance at the world's series more and honors however is still anyone among the first four and an interesting struggle to the end of the season is assured.

American League.

American league interest is now confined to struggles for position. So far as percentage points indicate Boston has less chance of catching the Athletics than Pittsburgh, the last place club in the National league, has of nosing out the Giants. The figures show the Mack men to be thirteen games ahead of the Red Sox while Pittsburgh is only twelve games behind New York.

Federal League.

In the Federal league Indianapolis entered the home stretch with a lead that may be hard to overcome. Taking their third double-header of the series from Brooklyn, on Monday, the Hoofeds got a start on another successful week. Terrific batting, a feat of the Indianapolis game, won at the first of the Kansas City series on Wednesday but Chicago held on close behind through a victory over St. Louis stopped the Hoofeds Thursday when they were leading. But St. Louis held Chicago to a tie and the was diminution of the margin in which Phillips' men led.

Friday was an off day among leaders and though Kansas City succeeded in beating Indianapolis on Saturday, St. Louis prevented Chicago from gaining.

The first of the inter-city series between the Brunswicks of the Dixon City league and the Sterling West Ends will be played Sunday afternoon and the fans of the village west of here are anticipating a happy afternoon for some of them have the idea that the game will walk bodily away with the game of the series.

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WEEKLY SPORTING LETTER

Associated Press Experts Tells of Interesting Events in the
World of Sport — Live Sporting News From all over the World.

New York, Aug. 31.—American lawn tennis players and officials are already planning for the recapture of the Davis Cup, won by the Australian team at Forest Hills, L. I., through the efforts of Norman E. Brooks and Anthony F. Wilding. With Maurice E. McLaughlin as a nucleus a new team will be organized and a challenge issued in 1915 providing the European war clouds have dispersed and the international situation warrants such action.

With Brooks and Wilding unlikely to defend the trophy again and a score of young American players rapidly rising to the heights already attained by McLaughlin the prospects of regaining the cup in the next try is considered bright. McLaughlin's victories in the recent tournament stamps him as the greatest player of singles in the world. Because of his youth he is considered to have at least a five year championship tenure. What is needed to give the United States a really representative team is another player of almost equal singles ability and a strong, well balanced doubles team.

In addition to McLaughlin and R. Norris Williams 2nd; William M. Johnson, John R. Strachan, R. Lindley Murray, Clarence Griffin, G. C. Caner and Elia Fottrell, form a squad of young players who are rapidly mounting to the highest ranks and these players together with several others of more mature experience give a wide field from which to select. From this same combination a formidable doubles pair might be formed, although pairs already accustomed to the necessary team work, like Dean Mathey and George M. Church, who surprised the Davis Cup gallery by defeating Doud and Dunlop, the Australian reservists are available and need but a little polish to make them of cup calibre.

Unless the other tennis playing nations of the world keep pace in the developments of young players it is probable therefore if the next contest for this cup will witness the exciting and thrilling playing that developed in the 1914 struggle. An analysis of the Davis Cup records for tournament shows that the representatives of the seven nations which participated played six rounds totaling of thirty matches; ninety-five sets and nine hundred games. With the exception of the British and Australian and the United States-Australian matches all the rounds were one-sided. Brooks and Wilding after defaulting two matches to the British Isles team, won seventy games to forty-five and defeated the United States one hundred and two games to ninety-two. In the challenge round the British Isles show that McLaughlin defeated Brooks 176 to 146, and Wilding 121 to 95. Brooks defeated Williams 136 to 102, and Wilding won 112 to 89. In the doubles Brooks and Wilding defeated McLaughlin and Bundy 148 to 130. But nineteen points separated the two nations at the end of the play, the final score for five matches being Australasia, 636; United States, 618.

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trol of the game in this country. The first amateur championship under the auspices of the National organization was decided on the course of the Newport Golf club, Newport, R. I., in October, 1895, and won by Charles B. MacDonald, entered from Chicago, and now a resident of New York City. Next Monday the twentieth anniversary of this event carrying with it the championship cup and title for which a great field of players will contend, will begin on the links of the Ekwanok County Club, Manchester, Vt., and the final round will be decided the following Saturday.

In the early days of golf in this country it was only natural that those who had learned the game in Scotland and England early led the American players, as after the victory of C. B. MacDonald in the first tournament, H. G. Wigham, also a Chicago entrant, who had come from the other side of the Atlantic with his bag of clubs and a fine knowledge of how to use them, won the title in 1895 at Shinnecock Hills, Long Island, and repeated the following year at Wheaton, Ill. The fourth championship was decided at Morristown, N. J., in 1898, and won by Findley S. Douglas, who has come from Scotland to make America his home.

From this stage of the game, however, the American homebred golfer became a factor in the championship class and H. M. Harriman of New York took the measure of Douglas in the final match a year later, at the Onwentsia Club's links near Chicago and Walter J. Travers, followed with the successive victories at the Garden City and Atlantic City tournaments in 1900 and 1901. Travers was put out by E. M. Byers of Pittsburgh, in the second match play round at Glenview, Ill., in 1902, when L. N. James of the local club won the title with Byers as the runner up. Travers came again in 1903 at Glen Cove, N. Y., and won the title for a third time, Byers again being the other finalist. H. Chandler Egan of Chicago, next held the honor for two years having won it at Baltusrol, N. J., in 1904, and successfully defended

HERE IS WORST CALAMITY OF ALL; CROP
OF CABBAGE IS NOT SUFFICIENT FOR KRAUT

Lovers of sauerkraut may have considerable trouble getting their favorite dish during the coming winter; that is, those who make the same themselves. From present indications the cabbage crop is going to be a very short one, there are plenty of leaves and stalks but the heads have not filled out properly and they are soft, thus it will be a hard matter to get good cabbage to make kraut.

A hard, large head of cabbage is necessary to make the best kind of

sauerkraut and when they are full grown it takes but very few heads of cabbage to make a large quantity of the "Dutch dish." Many people who are in the habit of making sauerkraut each year are worrying over the fact that unless the cabbage takes a boost in the next few weeks some trouble will be experienced in getting the necessary vegetable. Of course there is a great amount of sauerkraut manufactured and sent to grocers for distribution but the real taste of sauerkraut to those who are used to making it is not there.

ed at Wheaton, Ill., in 1906. E. M. Byers was rewarded for his persistent efforts in 1906 when he became champion after defeating the Canadian champion George S. Semon, of Toronto at Englewood, N. J., in 1906.

The present champion, Jerome D. Travers, captured the title in 1907 on the links of the Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio, when he defeated Archie Graham, the New Jersey state champion in the final round and won it again in 1908, at Garden City. The next year at Wheaton, Ill., R. Gardener of Hinsdale, Ill., was returned the winner and W. C. Fownes of Pittsburgh, survived a field of 203 starters at Brookline, Mass., in 1910. This was by far the largest number of starters that ever began a national tournament and under the new rule exempting all but players with a national rating of five strokes or better from competition, no such field can ever be assembled for this event again.

At Apawanamis, N. Y., in 1911, there were 170 starters when for the first and only time the cup and the title left the United States, as the year Harold H. Holton, England's foremost amateur golfer, was the winner, but not until he had been carried to an extra hole effort by Fred Herreshoff of Ekwanok, Vt. Holton was defeated in 1912 by C. G. Waldo in the first match play round at Wheaton, Ill., when J. D. Travers won for the third time his victory at Garden City twelve months ago marked his fourth winning of the trophy and title, which he will be called upon to defend next week.

Come for a song book. Only a few left, 10 in all, at 49 and 79 cents.

Republican Primary, September 30

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING
FINAL SETTLEMENT.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.
Estate of Lair D. Reed, Deceased.
Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Lair D. Reed deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee county, at the Court House in Dixon on the 14th day of September, 1914, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Illinois, August 31st, A. D. 1914.

MARION GUY REED,
Administrator.

Harry Edwards, Attorney.

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WAS TOLD TO ME.

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Motored Here.

Mrs. Henry W. Yates entertained her cousin, Mrs. E. J. Walker of Ashton for the week end. Mrs. Walker is nearing her 70th birthday and is a living falsity of the Oslar theory, for she recently went to the factory and purchased a Saxon auto, which she drove home and in which she made the trip to this city. Mrs. Walker greatly enjoys her car and experiences but little trouble in running it.

At Pope Home.

Miss Goldie Manning of this city has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pope of North Dixon.

Guests of Miss Rink.

Mrs. Ida Hackett and Mrs. Higgins of Chicago are the guests at the home of Miss Clara Rink on West First street.

With Luncheon.

Mrs. Frank Origiesen entertained Mrs. J. R. Page of Seattle, Wash., the Misses Barlow and Messrs. Leake and Johnson of Amboy with a luncheon and theater party last evening.

Wisconsin Car Surprises Dixon Friends.

Saturday evening at 6:15 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Berger of Milwaukee, Wis., reached the home of William Berg of this city who lives at 422 N. N. Lincoln avenue. The Milwaukee people started at 4:15 Saturday morning and stopped only for lunch and gasoline, traveling through sand at times at only 5 miles per hour. Mr. Berger's automobile registered 152 miles but several times a longer route had to be taken an account of the roads. Mr. Jenkinson is superintendent of a steam shovel plant, in South Milwaukee and Mr. Berger built a large confectionary at 3811 North avenue and conducts a flourishing business. Mr. and Mrs. Berger and friends spent Sunday with his sister and family leaving for Sterling last evening where they will spend the week with their relatives, Mr. Daily Berger and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Decker.

On Western Trip.

The following party, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Anderson of Polo, Mrs. J. W. Carpenter and son Jesse, Mrs. F. J. Bender and daughter Olive and son Payue of this city will leave tomorrow morning for an extended western trip in the Anderson car. They will visit in Nebraska and Kansas with relatives and on September 8th, will attend the annual reunion of the Carpenter family, held this year at Beatrice, Neb.

Social Circle to Meet.

Ladies Social circle of Prairieville will meet with Mrs. John Sheaffer on Wednesday afternoon. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

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Bridge Club.

The Auction Bridge club was entertained today by Mrs. W. J. McAlpine.

Guests at Origiesen Home.

Miss Gertrude Gardner of Chicago and Frank Merriman of West Chicago were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Origiesen. The party enjoyed a motor ride to Lowell park.

Mrs. Potts of Evanston and Mrs. Gowdy Mayfield of Chicago will spend the week end in Dixon at the Nachusa.

Luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fuller entertained with a Sunday evening luncheon.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore and Mrs. H. M. Ansdan of Decatur, Ill., motored from Chicago Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gill.

Returns Home.

Mrs. J. A. Middlekauff will leave today for Mt. Morris where she will spend a few days with friends before returning to her home in Eau Claire, Wis. Mrs. Middlekauff has been visiting in this city at the Joseph Shelhamer home.

Suitors.

Tomorrow Mrs. A. C. Warner, Mrs. G. H. Squires, Mrs. E. B. Owens and Miss Abbie D. Norris will go to the Warner cottage, Suitors, for a few days' outing.

At Kreitzer Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrissey of Peoria are visiting in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kreitzer.

Returned from Wisconsin. Misses Addie Howell and Vera Slothower returned home Saturday after a two weeks' vacation spent at Janesville and Delavan Lake.

Returns to School.

Miss Genevieve Lally returned to Steward yesterday to resume her work as teacher of the Grimes school there. Miss Lally has been a successful teacher there for a number

Entertained.

Mrs. Melvern Overmier entertained a number of friends last evening with a six o'clock dinner at her home.

Motored to Milledgeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schrock and children, Dorothy and Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Beach and daughter, Doris, motored to Milledgeville yesterday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. Katherine Nair.

With Luncheon.

Mrs. T. W. Fuller entertained at lunch last evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine and Miss Abby Norris.

Will Leave for Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. James Lohr of this city will leave next week for Pennsylvania where they will spend the winter in visiting friends and relatives. They will visit all points of interest and have planned a very delightful trip. Miss Ada Lohr will accompany them as far as Chicago.

Visited in Oregon.

Misses Isadore Chase and Ruby Miller visited at the Black Hawk monument at Oregon yesterday and spent a very pleasant day there.

At Camp Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sennett, Mr. and Mrs. John Keller attended the Oak Dale Camp meeting yesterday and report a very enjoyable time.

Returned from Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spiller, who have been spending a delightful honeymoon on a canoe trip up Rock river and on the lakes have returned to this city to make this city their future home.

Motored to Clinton.

Dr. and Mrs. Clevidence, George Boynton and Miss Lela Dysart motored to Clinton yesterday and spent a very delightful day.

Here from Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ahrens and daughters, George and Arline of Sterling visited in this city yesterday at the A. W. Harms home.

Return to Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Floto will return to Minneapolis tomorrow after a visit of three weeks in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Floto.

Returned to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hamilton and daughter Jeanne have returned to Chicago after a week's stay in this city and Polo with relatives. Miss Jennie Gilbert of Polo will accompany them home and will take a position as stenographer in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlungen write from their home in Madison, Wis., that after a very delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Batchelder they arrived safely home. The trip was made by motor, considerable distance being covered.

Picnic at Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Byers and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson and family picnicked at the Pines on Sunday.

At the Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford and family enjoyed a very delightful trip to the Pines yesterday and had a picnic supper there.

At DuVal Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman and daughter Catherine were entertained last evening at the J. E. DuVal home on West Fellows street.

At Ralph Home.

Mrs. Ray Slothower and children of Rochelle are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ralph of Highland avenue.

To Sioux Falls.

Mrs. R. C. Bovey will go to Sioux Falls tomorrow morning for an extended visit there with relatives.

Visited in Sterling.

Phil Woolever and Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton and little daughter spent Sunday in Sterling at the Dave Talty home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fletcher have moved from Vancouver, B. C., to Seattle, Wash., to reside. Mrs. Fletcher will be remembered in Dixon as Miss Dorothy North.

REID HAS BEEN AN EFFICIENT OFFICER

FORMER SHERIFF ASKS TO BE
NOMINATED FOR COUNTY
TREASURER.

To the Voters:

On Wednesday, September 9th, 1914, there will come before the voters of Lee county, a number of candidates for nomination on the different tickets, seeking a place on those tickets that will eventually lead to their being hired servants of the people of Lee county. Among these names on the Republican ballot will be that of the present sheriff of Lee County, C. P. Reid, now seeking the nomination and election to the office of treasurer of Lee county. Four years ago you saw fit to elect him as your sheriff, believing that he would handle your business in a humane and business-like way and as the law directs. You are the best judge as to whether he has succeeded to your satisfaction. If you are satisfied with your servant, is it not likely that he will be faithful in the future and with additional knowledge gained in his work for you, be more valuable to you? Having faith in the judgment of the entire people and being willing to let their selection rule, it is the wish of all candidates that all voters go to the polls on September 9th and let no business stop them, as it is a right that should be preserved and one of the protections of our homes.—Political Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Armington of this city are in Chicago attending the convention of the Illinois State Bankers' association.

Mrs. Charles Plon will go to Chicago Tuesday.

Ed Guffin of Paw Paw, the popular newspaper man is in Dixon today.

Frank and Henry Davlin of St. Charles spent Sunday with Charles McCarty of E. Second street.

Harvey Miller went to Ashton today for a short visit.

W. B. Brinton spent Sunday at the Penoyer Sanitarium in Kenosha, Wis., with his wife.

CAMPBELL S. HEARNE DEAD

He Was Long Time Member of Illinois Senate.

Quincy, Ill., Aug. 31.—Campbell S. Hearne, state senator, died at his home in Quincy. Death was caused by paralysis. Mr. Hearne had served in the senate since 1904. He also had been a representative two years. He was a veteran of the confederate army.

Billy—Do you believe in signs?
Milly—Yes, indeed.
Billy—Well, last night I dreamed you were madly in love with me, what is that a sign of?
Milly—That's a sign you were dreaming.—Pen State Froth.

Look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. It will tell the exact date to which you are paid.

REV. WHITCOMBE HAS RESIGNED AS RECTOR

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S GIVES
HIS RESIGNATION—BISHOP
TO HOLD SERVICES.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church of this city has resigned his position and his resignation has been accepted by the vestry. The church members are extremely sorry to lose Rev. Whitcombe from their church work for he has been very popular during his residence here. Rev. Whitcombe intends to stay in Dixon. He has announced himself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county clerk.

Bishop Toll will conduct the services in the local church next Sunday and will confer with the vestry concerning the securing of another rector.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

The truth is that in human service there is no low or high degree; the woman who serves is as worthy of respect as the man who preaches.

The pathway to success is in serving humbly. For no other means is it possible, and this truth is so plain and patent that even very simple folk recognize it.

COOL DRINKS FOR HOT DAYS.

There is no cooling drink equal to a glass of lemonade which may be made with or without egg. If one is fond of lemonade it is wise to keep a bottle of lemon sirup always on tap. To prepare it, boil together two cups of sugar and three cups of water, let boil ten minutes, then add two-thirds of a cup of lemon juice and when boiling hot, remove from the heat. When cool bottle and keep in the ice chest. When desired for serving dilute a portion of the sirup with iced water, add a slice of fresh lemon and serve.

Kumiss—This is more of a food than a drink but it is especially nice for the sick. To a quart of milk warmed to seventy-five degrees, add one and a half tablespoonfuls of sugar and a fourth of a yeast cake dissolved in one tablespoonful of lukewarm water. Fill sterilized bottles to within two inches from the top, cork, tie down the corks and invert the bottles. Keep at seventy degrees Fahrenheit for twelve hours. Then place on ice and it will be ready to serve in two days. Shake occasionally to keep the cream from clogging the necks of the bottles.

Lemon Egg Nogg—Separate the yolk and white of one egg, beat until light and thick, add to a glass of lemonade using the white on top, stirring it in lightly. This is not only nourishing, but refreshing on a hot day.

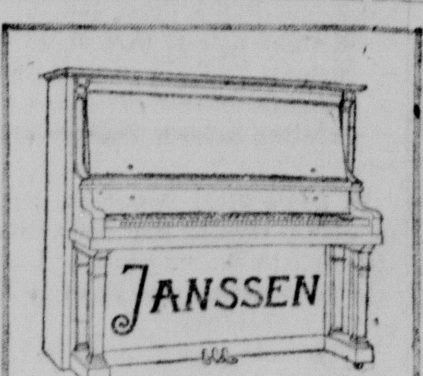
Mint Fizzle—Cut the rind of a lemon very thin, then in small strips. Squeeze the juice of a half a lemon in each glass, add a teaspoon of sugar, then fill with shaved ice. Pour in equal parts of ginger pop and grape juice; place three sprigs of mint in each glass and a sprinkling of lemon peel. Serve with straws.

Syracuse Lemonade—Beat the yolks of four eggs until thick, pour over two quarts of strong lemonade to which is added the grated rind of one lemon. Pour into a crystal pitcher, heap on the whites of the eggs well beaten, dust with nutmeg and serve with shaved ice in each glass.

Nellie Maxwell.

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She—What do you think I am, a talking doll?



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JOSEPH THOMAN IS CALLED IN DEATH

WELL KNOWN DIXONITE PASSES
AWAY LAST NIGHT—OBITU-
ARY NOTICE LATER.

Joseph Thoman, a well known resident of Dixon who has made his home here for many years, passed away last night after a lingering illness. Cancer of the throat was the cause of his demise.

The obituary and funeral announcement will be announced in the Telegraph tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Durkes are in Chicago. Mr. Durkes is attending the convention of the Illinois State Bankers' association.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Westerman, of Madison, Wis., will return to their home tomorrow, after a few days' visit at the home of Mrs. Westerman's mother, Mrs. Davies.

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THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

The great banking house of Henry Clews and Company of New York sends out a letter dealing with the financial situation here and abroad as influenced by the war. Their observations are interesting:

New York, Aug. 29.—Persistent and confident efforts are being made to adjust business to war conditions both at home and abroad. Here much progress has been attained and more will follow. Abroad the situation is different. Germany's enormous commerce and industry is practically paralyzed. Beyond taking care of her own immediate internal necessities, industrial Germany is unavoidably at a standstill. Upon that country the stress of war is falling with intense severity; and whether sympathizing with the German cause or not, one cannot but deeply feel the gigantic disaster which has fallen upon that progressive and enlightened nation. Upon little Belgium and upon France also, two of the most advanced countries in the world, the blast of war has come with crushing force. These two nations will suffer relatively even more than Germany; for their fairest and most prosperous sections are being devastated by immense armies and wholesale destruction. Upon Russia, Austria, Japan and other nations, the blow will be much less severe because they are out of the field of conflict. Upon Great Britain the effect of the war cannot yet be told. In short, the loss will not be so great as in the case of Germany; and would soon be at least partially compensated for in various directions, such as new avenues of commerce, new colonies, new markets, new industries and the hope of a decline in militarism. But her military leaders are not indulging in false hopes. Germany's ability and endurance as a fighting nation are not to be underrated; and if overcome it will only be through overwhelming numbers and superior resources. At the moment the best that can be hoped for concerning this colossal conflict is that before long a decisive battle will be fought, which will check the mad carnage and induce all parties to refer their claims to some form of diplomatic conference. A great battle might easily be the occasion for proposing an armistice, and it goes without saying that from no country in the world could such a suggestion come with more grace and more force than from the United States. Let us hope that in some such way this stupendous struggle may be quickly brought to an end, and not prolonged by passion on either side. When sanity regains its sway in Europe there will be reasonable hope of such a consummation.

The financial situation in New York, though still much confused, shows some improvement. There is a calmness regarding the seriousness of the situation which at least is reassuring. Our banks are co-operating to meet a grave situation in the most energetic and cordial manner. The Government has done much to relieve the situation and prevent harmful stringency. A suggestion could be offered toward further aid in the situation, it is in the direction of a more generous use of Clearing House certificates. A little more judicious liberality on the part of the banks would certainly be helpful, and the great danger is, that unless this is granted, the way may be paved for dangerous inflationary schemes in Congress. This is a time for men to hold their heads, avoiding impulsive action and adhering strictly to sound business methods which experience has proved sound and true. The banking situation in this country is fortunately sound. The country has an abundant supply of gold, the amount available for banking purposes being estimated at over \$1,500,000,000.

The business community in New York and elsewhere has met the shock far better than anticipated. Of course, there is much confusion, especially in import and export circles arising from the demoralization of the foreign exchange market. This is abating somewhat each day and the financing of imports and exports is becoming less and less difficult, though the end of trouble is by no means in sight. There is now no longer a lack of transportation to countries with which international commerce is possible. Exports of wheat have been upon a more liberal scale, and are likely to continue at high prices, this staple having already shown very violent fluctuations. The cotton situation is still serious and requires most judicious handling. Of course the four million bales which Germany usually takes will be carried or consumed in other markets, and the problem of financing the coming crop is one that is receiving the serious attention of our bankers and cotton merchants, efficiently aided by the Government at Washington. The effect of war upon the British export trade of cotton goods will not be as severe as at first expected; provided England keeps the routes to China and India open, and provided too many of her operatives are not thrown into the army. Our own exports of cotton goods should materially increase, the conditions being very favorable to American cotton mills running on export fabrics. Our steel trade is also beginning to feel the effects of foreign inquiries for steel products to fill vacancies caused by cessation of German exports. Even English buyers are in this market making active inquiries; and, though no large business has yet been accomplished, there is a very fair reason to hope for a considerably larger inquiry from foreign sources. There is also much interest displayed in South American trade. Germany had developed an enormous commerce with South America, which is entirely suspended. There is no other nation at present able to fill this vacancy better than the United States. This fact is fully appreciated by our manufacturers and exporters. Ample American banking facilities have recently been established with South America, and it so happens that there is no lack of ships. The West apparently feels the business depression less keenly than the East, and reports from the agricultural sections are generally encouraging. Current railroad earnings are not entirely satisfactory, but this was to be expected in view of the embargo upon freight in the early stages of the war. The retail trades in that section of the country, however, appear to be fairly active, for the reason that the consuming capacities of the people have not yet been seriously impaired. For the time being extreme caution must be the only policy to follow in all business affairs. This country will weather the storm better than any other, and when the strain is passed we should be able to lead in real prosperity.

War and Work

BY WALT MASON

The nations of Europe are wading in slaughter, the sound of their conflict encircles the world; some thrones may collapse and some dynasties totter before the red flags of the fighters are furled. The men of our village are vastly excited, they sit by the pump in the big public square, explaining how Germany's plans should be righted, how Russia and France are both up in the air. They point out the errors of Serb and of Belgian, they criticize legions, the rank and the file, and hope they may never either swallow or smell gin, if they couldn't manage those armies in style. Their wives, in the meantime, are bitterly sighing, the wolves by the doorway all threatening lurk; the children are hungry, for wieners wurst crying; their dads are entirely too busy to work. I'm sorry for Europe, that knows not the beauty of peace, for poor Europe whose rivers are red; but foremost and first I regard it my duty to rustle around for the liver and bread. The first of the month will be here ere we know it, and if I can't pay for my coffee and hash, the grocer will have little use for the poet whose sympathy kept him from earning the cash.

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Walt Mason

JUDGE OWENS' ORDER IS A REVOLUTIONIZER

Names of Candidates to Be Rotated on Ballots.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—County Judge Owens revolutionized the method of the Cook county primary campaign when he overruled a majority of the election board and ordered the primary candidates rotated on the ballots by wards. His ruling started the biggest political upheaval in recent years, say lawyers. The supreme court is not in session, and the probability is that the order entered in the county court by Judge Owens will stand for the Sept. 9 primary.

The decision is in favor of the Hearst-Harrison candidates in the Democratic camp, and the so-called insurgent Republicans. It hits the "regulars" in the Democracy and the so-called Deneen Republicans, who had top places on their respective primary tickets. By the county judge's order candidates' names will occupy different places on the primary ballot in different wards of the city, a candidate's name being at the top in the first ward will be in another place on the ballot in other wards of Chicago.

CURRENT COMMENT

Chicago Tribune: The president's words of warning against "that deepest, most subtle, and most essential breach of neutrality which may spring out of partisanship, out of passionately taking sides," though it is in some degree a counsel of perfection, is nevertheless timely, and it should have a greatly to be desired effect in steadying public opinion in this country.

Gillespie News: Every week sees the farmers in this section shipping off their cattle. No pastures, well going dry, no winter feed is the cause. It is one of the worst conditions ever witnessed in this section, and one we trust will never be repeated.

Minneapolis Journal: In the eastern part of the United States croquet is reported to be coming back. A debilitated form of croquet is much less dangerous than joy riding or aeroplaning and ought to win a place for itself.

Chicago Post: So far as we can judge, about the best job in the world right now is that of war correspondent. The pay is good and all of the governments of Europe are co-operating to keep 'em out of danger.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: Mr. Bryan wishes that he had devoted more attention to the interests of his protegee in Nebraska instead of so much to the Illinois contest.

Alton Telegraph: American travelers should be protected, but it might be just as well for them to refrain from singing "God Save the King" in Berlin Restaurants.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bailey of Omaha, Neb., are guests at the home of Secretary and Mrs. E. T. Bailey in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sears of Chicago are visiting friends and relatives here.

W. C. Weldon, purchasing agent for the Colorado & Southern Railroad will arrive from Denver the last of the week accompanied by Miss Helen Plein, who has been visiting in the west for some weeks.

Mrs. Luella Parsons and daughter, Harriet returned Sunday to Chicago after a visit at the E. C. Parsons home.

Just received a carload of Fancy Minnesota Early Ohio potatoes Prices low. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria. Phone 109.

Mr. and Mrs. Justus Schweinsberg spent Sunday in Sterling with relatives.

M. J. McGowan returned to Chicago this morning after a week-end visit at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Poole visited in Sterling Sunday.

If you want a large, light office room, with hardwood floor, nice hardwood work, running water and electric lights, call No. 5. They are in the Telegraph Building.

Miss Mary Wynn spent Sunday at the home of Miss Olga Brown, south of town.

Miss Brinton is entertaining Miss Smith of Southern Illinois.

Misses Nonie and Edna Rosbrook will arrive in Dixon Thursday from the west.

Mrs. Shoecraft of Erie came out from Chicago Sunday for a visit with Dixon relatives.

Receiving large shipments of Illinois Peaches daily. Price \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria. Phone 109.

Miss Rachel Plummer, who has been spending the summer in Dixon, left today for San Antonio, Texas, where she teaches kindergarten in the San Antonio schools.

Raymond McGowan was a Sunday dinner guest at the Nachusa.

Misses Grace Martin and Gladys Steel will leave during the month of September for Chicago, where they will complete their studies in the Michigan Ave. Kindergarten school.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Miller were Sunday dinner guests at the Nachusa.

Miss Gantz of Oregon, is in Dixon and will spend the winter at the home of Miss Mary Wynn. Miss Gantz is instructor in the South Side school.

All those having carpets at my place call at No. 506 Depot Ave. S. S. Sills.

Roy Glessner of Eldena was a caller in Dixon on Saturday.

Bernard Lannen of Woosung visited here on Saturday.

Geo. Gantzert of Nelson was a Saturday caller in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gossman were visitors in Sterling Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Southerland of Scotch Grove, Iowa, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Espy at their houseboat up the river.

Mrs. Talty visited her mother, Mrs. Woolever Sunday.

Send in your news items to the Telegraph. Drop us a line or call Home Phone No. 5 and the same will be cheerfully published.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bent were Sunday visitors at the Nachusa.

W. C. Durkes, banker, is in Chicago.

Major Tourtelott, Republican candidate for sheriff, motored to Palmyra and vicinity today.

Wanted, girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. H. U. Bardwell, E. Second street. Tel. 303.

Mrs. George Downing is ill.

G. F. Brooks of Harmon, Progressive candidate for sheriff of Lee county, was in Dixon today.

Mrs. Eddy of Newark, N. J., is the guest of her brother, Major Tourtelott of Bluff Park.

Prof. and Mrs. Homer Shepherd and baby are here for a short visit at the home of Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Altman.

C. M. Palmer will leave this evening for Alexandria, S. D., where he will visit his mother, the first time in twelve years.



We are receiving New Fall and Winter Goods, every day and we advise our customers to buy early this season as there is every indication of prices being much higher on all lines of merchandise.

A. L. GEISENHEIMER & CO., Dixon, Illinois

WATERLOO, IOWA WANTS GOOD MILK

CITY DISCUSSES THE PASSAGE OF AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE MILK SUPPLY.

WILL GOVERN ENTIRE SUPPLY

The City Will Be Entirely in Charge of the Milk Supply and Purity Will Be First Aim.

The cleanliness of milk used in any city is a mighty important factor in the general health and in Dixon as well as in every city in the land, we can not be too strict. Dixon is paying a high price for its milk, and other cities are also paying high prices. The milkmen claim that the prices are not too high compared with other foodstuffs. Perhaps they are not, but in any event, if we are to pay for high class service let us be sure that we are getting it. Here is the way that Waterloo, Iowa, is handling the problem of securing good, healthful milk for its citizens: An effort is being made in Waterloo, Iowa, to secure a better quality of milk, and among the things recommended by a citizens committee is the use of the score card. That all milk when delivered shall be at a temperature of 55 degrees or lower. That there shall be three grades, A, B and C. "B" grade milk to be from a tuberculin tested herd or herds with a sanitary score of not less than 50. "C" grade milk to be from a tuberculin tested herd or herds with a dairy score of not less than 50. Provided, that if "A" grade milk shall show a bacteriological count of more than 100,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter, on three out of five successive tests, it shall automatically drop to "B" grade unless it be properly pasteurized; that "B" grade milk if shown to contain more than 200,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter on three out of five successive bacteriological tests it shall automatically drop to the "C" grade; "C" grade milk if shown by bacteria count to contain more than 300,000 three out of five successive tests, must be pasteurized before sold. Provided further that "B" grade milk, if properly pasteurized, shall be entitled to the "A" grade cap, and "C" grade milk if properly pasteurized shall be entitled to a "B" grade cap. In the process of pasteurization milk shall be raised to a temperature of at least 140 degrees Fahrenheit; kept at that temperature for a period of at least 20 minutes, and then cooled rapidly to not over 50 degrees Fahrenheit, and must be kept at that temperature to time of delivery. Milk so pasteurized shall be entitled to be labeled "A," "B" and "C" grade, pasteurized. That the bacteriological count of the milk in all dairies or vendors of milk be made by the milk inspector authorized to do so by the city council, at least bi-monthly during June, July, August and September, and once every sixty days during the remainder of the year and the results of said tests shall be published, together with the names of the persons of dealers whose milk has been so tested, as soon as said test has been made, provided that no milk showing a bacteriological count of more than 300,000 c/bic centimeters shall be allowed to be sold within the city of Waterloo.

That all grade labels or caps used by milk dealers shall be furnished by the city through the milk inspector and no person shall be permitted to use any grade label upon his milk bottles unless the same shall be secured from the city milk inspector, and the city milk inspector shall furnish no grade labels to any person unless his dairy has been inspected under the rules provided upon the United States score card.

Restaurants and Eating Houses—All restaurants and eating houses shall post in a conspicuous place a notice, the letters of which shall be not less than one inch in height, showing the grade of milk being furnished to its patrons.

That no ice cream shall be manufactured or sold within the city of Waterloo unless the same is made from "A" grade or pasteurized milk.

All consumers of milk, including restaurants and eating houses, are compelled to wash thoroughly all milk bottles and containers, and also said milk containers shall be used for no other than milk purposes.

A penalty of \$100 or 30 days in jail is attached for violation of any provision in the ordinance.

WEALTH REVEALED BY SUIT

Board of Review in Belleville Seeks to Assess J. T. Taylor.

Belleville, Ill., Aug. 31.—John T. Taylor, 404 North Charles street, Belleville, who was made a defendant in a separation maintenance suit instituted by Mrs. Mary Taylor, has been notified to appear before the St. Clair county board of review and show why he should not be assessed for \$70,000 in personal property.

A member of the board read of the newspaper account of the suit and also that his wife alleged he was worth approximately \$70,000, and had an income of \$200 a month.

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NEW SHOWS NOVEL RIDES SENSATIONAL FREE ACTS

Concert Band Natty Concessions

A WORLD of NOVELTIES

NOT NEEDED NOW.

"Schneider, the tailor down the street, is advertising Tariff Reduction Trousers."

"For the love of Mike, man, what kind of trousers are those?"

"Pocketless."

ORDER BOAT HOUSES OFF E. WATER STREET

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house" and that unless it is removed it will have to be torn down by the city.

Owners and renters of space in the boat houses affected by the order are up in arms and declare they will take steps to protect their property.

Monthly Bills Passed

Semi-monthly bills to the amount of \$3182.89 were allowed at this morning's meeting.

A petition from Hoon & Hall asking permission to place connections for two gasoline reservoirs under the sidewalk in front of their store on North Galena avenue was referred to Commissioner Gannon with power to act.

Local Board Meets.

The Board of Local Improvements met before the council meeting this morning and passed a resolution to advertise in the Telegraph for bids for a sewer in East Second street, under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 169.

PROTEST AGAINST U.S. BUYING SHIPS

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE OBJECT TO PURCHASE OF GERMAN LINERS

(Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 31.—Great Britain has joined with France in objecting to the purchase by the United States of any German liners in connection with the plan to build an American Merchant Marine.

DIXON TEAM WON FORM ELDENA, 9 TO 7

L. N. U.-STAR COMBINATION VICTORS IN GAME BEFORE LARGE CROWD.

Eldena met defeat at the hands of the L. N. U.-Star combination at Eldena Sunday afternoon by a score of 9 to 7. The first five innings of the game were hotly contested, the score standing 1 to 0 in favor of the Dixon boys at the end of that session, but in the sixth the Eldena team committed several errors which allowed the L. N. U. to score five runs.

In the last three innings Eldena came back strong, scoring seven runs, but were unable to tie the score. Huber pitched for the Dixon team, getting eight strike-outs and allowing eight hits. O'Malley for Eldena was touched for eight hits also, and fanned thirteen. The Eldena pitcher's record is thirty strike-outs in two games against the Dixon City leaguers. A good crowd was in attendance at the game.

BALL GAME AT COMPTON FRIDAY

The Eldena and Paw Paw baseball teams will furnish the sports attraction at the Old Settlers' picnic to be held at Compton Friday. These two teams are most evenly matched, have had good records this year, and certainly will furnish some real sport for the fans in attendance at the picnic.

NATIONAL IMPLEMENT SHOW

PEORIA ILLINOIS

Sept. 4th to 12th.

AVIATORS LOOPING THE LOOP
(LINCOLN BEACHY SUPERVISION)

AUTO RACES

"Bob" Burman World's Speed king.
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Horse Show Corn Show

FREE ATTRACTIONS

Three Ring Circus Every Day
COME TO THE BIG SHOW

TERRIBLE FIGHT CONTINUES ALONG RUSSIAN FRONTIER

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and London)—It has been officially announced that "In the Austro-Russian theatre of war decisive battles have been in progress for several days.

"Our forces, which were victorious near Kraznik, pursued the Russians in the direction of Lublin.

"The Austrians have advanced also into the enemy's country between the rivers Bug and Wieprz and we have taken positions in front of Zamosc.

"Other contingent of the Austrian army hold positions northeast and southwest of Lemberg. After crossing the Dniester they encountered great forces of the enemy."

Emphasis is placed on the word "decisive" in the official report.

The Austro-Russian battle front stretched over 420 miles.

The Russian army has begun the siege of Koenigsberg and is assailing the Austrians near Lemberg. Austrian Galicia. In a fight with the Austrians the Russians achieved victory, killing 3,000 Austrians and capturing many prisoners.

Germany is sending troops from Belgium to East Prussia to meet the Russians, as rapidly as the railroads can carry them. One hundred and thirty-six trains loaded with soldiers crossed from Belgium into Prussia Saturday. The garrison of Germans holding Brussels has been cut to 300 men.

Russia's invasion of Germany continues successful along the entire line of battle, says a St. Petersburg dispatch. German troops have been forced to abandon the Vistula river at several points and are being driven back rapidly all along the line of this river, which is of great strategic importance.

Russia Reports Victories.

New York, Aug. 31.—Colonel Nikolai Golejewski, military attache of the Russian embassy in Washington, who is at the Hotel Vanderbilt, made public two messages from the Russian foreign office in St. Petersburg announcing Russian victories over the Germans in East Prussia.

The messages said that Russian troops are approaching Koenigsberg, having driven back the advance posts of the garrison. The messages told of a successful fight on the Galician border near Tomasheff and Monastyrskala, of an advance on Lemberg and of defeating the Austrian cavalry at also told of a battle near Soldau. At Tcherkoff on Aug. 25. The messages lenstein and Bischofsburg on Aug. 25, 26 and 27, where the Germans concentrated their forces that had been defeated at Gumbinnen. The messages said that Allenstein had been captured by the Russians.

BOY DIES IN RESCUE EFFORT

Illinois Youth and Two Girls Drown in Lake Michigan.

Pana, Ill., Aug. 31.—Particulars received here of the drowning in Lake Michigan of Leroy Jackson, son of the late Dr. A. J. Jackson of Tower Hill, east of Pana, tell of him giving his life in an effort to rescue Isabel, Margaret and Catherine Rice, who were overwhelmed by a huge wave while bathing in the lake off Chicago. Young Jackson went to his death with Catherine Rice, who seized him about the neck with a death grasp and carried him under the waves with her. Isabel Rice, sister of Catherine, was also drowned. Jackson was twenty years of age and was born and raised near Pana. His body has not been recovered.

Margaret Rice was rescued by Charles De Pee and Victor Klebba, after a struggle with her in which all three came near being drowned.

GERMAN LINES ARE NEAR PARIS

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Dozech described the German auto-trucks as being marvelous. They are equipped with scythes. They mow through hedges and wire fences; and their number of trucks is unlimited, apparently. The trucks are armored and enable the German forces to make 40 miles a day.

PRINCE'S FAMILY REPORTED AT HAGUE

London, Aug. 31.—Unconfirmed reports say that the belief is general in the Dutch colony of Limburg that the family of the German Crown Prince has taken refuge at The Hague.

AMERICANS IN BRUSSELS ARE SAFE

London, Aug. 31.—The American Minister to Belgium reports that all Americans at Brussels are safe, and that the same applies to all other foreigners.

JAPS OCCUPY SMALL GERMAN ISLAND

Pekin, China, Aug. 31.—Information has been received that Ts-chieh, a small island outside Kiaochow bay, and fronting the German fortifications, has been occupied by the Japanese.

HEAR HEAVY FIRING AT DOVER

London, Aug. 31.—Heavy firing was heard at Dover this morning. It appears to have come from vessels along the French coast.

The long-dreaded German airship attack on the City of Paris has begun. An aeroplane flew over the city about 3 o'clock and dropped three bombs, tearing up the streets and damaging houses and causing intense terror among the unarmed and unprotected populace, but not killing any one. One bomb narrowly missed a military hospital when it fell in front of the Gare d'Est (Eastern railway station). After hurling the bombs the German dropped a message into the city which reads: "The German army is at the gates of Paris. There is nothing for you to do but surrender. The Paris correspondent of the London Express says: "I am informed Italy will present an ultimatum to Austria requesting an explanation of Austrian mobilization on the Italian frontier. Only a brief period will be given for an answer and within a short time Italian troops are expected to be in Trieste.

A dispatch to La Prensa says: "Germany offers to allow Luxembourg to enter the German Empire on condition of giving up her neutrality in the war."

The British and French forces after retreating from Aug. 23 to 28 have reformed their lines and resumed the offensive. The British loss is reported to have been 6,000, but 12,000 men have been sent to take their places. The battle line of the allies now runs through Laberclie, Le Cateau and Cambrai. The Germans report that their forces have reached Quentin and are advancing from there towards the fortified positions of La Fere.

The mayor of Boulogne denies that that city has been taken by the Germans.

Official Berlin dispatches say that Germany has information that Turkey is preparing to take an active part in the war in support of Germany. This, with little doubt, will force Italy's hand and compel her to range herself on the side of the allies and will drive most, if not all, of the Balkan states to the same action.

Washington, Aug. 31.—The following dispatch was received from the Paris foreign office by the French embassy:

"Along our line from the River Somme to the Vosges mountain range the defense is holding well and the position and disposition of our forces was the same on Aug. 28 as last reported on the day preceding, Thursday, Aug. 27. The testimony of German prisoners captured indicates that the actions in the Vosges region have been notable for the great number of casualties. The 112th and 142nd German regiments of infantry were so depleted after three days of fighting that the two were combined in a single organization of less than full regimental strength. A German regiment of infantry numbers 3,000 men.

"The Russians have captured Allenstein and invested the fortified city of Koenigsberg. A great battle is in progress in Galicia along an immense battle front extending from the Vistula river to Lemberg.

"Tremendous perturbation is exhibited in Berlin by reason of the inflowing tide of countless thousands of

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MANY HAGUE REGULATIONS ARE BEING DISREGARDED IN PRESENT EUROPEAN STRUGGLE

NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES PREPARES A STATEMENT SHOWING CONVENTIONS ADOPTED AT THE HAGUE WHICH ARE BEING APPARENTLY DISREGARDED.

Washington, Aug. 31.—The Navy transportation, stores and supplies, and generally all movable property belonging to the state which may be used for military operations.

From convention 5—"Governing the Rights and Duties of Neutral Powers":

Art. 1. The territory of neutral powers is inviolable.

Art. 2. Belligerents are forbidden to move troops or convey of either munitions of war or supplies across the territory of a neutral power.

Governing Contact Mines.

From convention 7—"Regarding All Submarine Contact Mines":

Art. 1. It is forbidden to lay unanchored automatic contact mines, except when they are so constructed as to become harmless one hour at most after the person who laid them ceases to control them.

Art. 2. It is forbidden to lay automatic contact mines off the coasts and ports of the enemy with the sole object of intercepting commercial shipping.

Art. 3. When anchored automatic contact mines are employed, every possible precaution must be taken for the security of peaceful shipping.

From declaration 14—"Prohibiting the Discharge of Projectiles from Balloons, etc.":

New Methods of Attack.

Declaration—The contracting powers agree to prohibit for a period extending to the close of the third peace conference the discharge of projectiles and explosives from balloons or by any other new methods of a similar nature.

Art. 53. An army of occupation can only take possession of cash, funds, and realizable securities which are strictly the property of the state, depots of arms, means of

ALEXANDER MILLERAND

New French Minister of War Preparing for Siege.



HIGH CLASS SHOWS IN CARNIVAL HERE

CLIFTON-KELLY SHOWS ARE INSTALLED IN DEMENTTOWN—HAVE FINE LIST OF ATTRACTIONS.

Everybody is happy. The carnival is here and the big week of fun starts tonight. From the time the special train arrived yesterday afternoon the Great Clifton-Kelly Shows have been the talk of Dixon and prospects are bright for a big opening. The band started the ball rolling this noon with a booster car run about the city and a concert was enjoyed by a large concourse of people.

The lineup of shows include a huge autodrome, German flea circus, tango girls, Panama canal, monkey hippodrome, Huerta, Dixieland minstrels, Luna, Wild Rose, London dime museum, \$10,000 jumping horse carry-us-all, ocean wave, giant Ferris wheel and a live Shetland pony track. Among the free attractions are Mlle. Beatrice the spiral globe artist who will give sensational exhibitions at 4 p. m. and 9:45 p. m. daily and Miss Fay McKnight the young lady that sings to beat the band.

The management guarantees each and every show for ladies and children as well as for gentlemen. Positive ly guarantees that no oriental dancing girl exhibitions or gambling devices of any character are with the show and promises the cleanest and highest class shows ever witnessed in the carnival days. Every afternoon at 2 o'clock the shows will commence and will remain open until eleven o'clock.

MARVIN DAVIS IN HIS FINAL SLEEP

PASSED AWAY AT GRAND DETOUR HOME SUNDAY—FUNERAL TUESDAY.

Marvin Davis, a highly respected citizen of Grand Detour, passed away at that place Sunday, August 30th at the age of 68 years, 9 months. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home and at 2:30 at the Christian church of Grand Detour. Rev. Stone will officiate.

Mr. Davis was born in Delaware county, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1845, and came with his parents to Illinois 60 years ago. They settled on a farm where he lived and died. In 1869 he was married to Miss Helen Cooper and six children were born to this union, Mrs. Carrie Purteman of Grand Detour; George, who died in infancy; Artie, of Grand Detour; Mrs. Ethel Reese of Oregon; Mrs. Mabel Gearhart and Leonard, of Grand Detour. Mr. Davis was a man of excellent character and well beloved by neighbors and friends of whom he had many. The community has lost a valued member, hard in deed to replace.

AUSTRIAN ARMY IS CHECKED

Russians Continue Their Successes, Says St. Petersburg.

London, Aug. 31.—In the eastern theater of war Russia's two main armies, one operating in East and West Prussia and the other in Galicia, continue their successes according to dispatches from St. Petersburg. In West Prussia the Russians are now engaged at Thorn and Graudenz, on the Weichsel river. In Galicia a battle is reported in progress east of Lemberg. The Russians have brought up reinforcements and report that they have captured large numbers of prisoners in this district.

The Austrian army invading Russian Poland, with Lublin as its first objective, has been checked at Podzrodzie, according to Russian reports, and have lost thousands of prisoners.

French Yield Ground.

Paris, Aug. 31.—"The progress of the German war has obliged us to yield ground on our left," says an official statement issued here.

The ministry of war announces that it has been decided to call out the class of 1914, which will give at least 200,000 additional troops.

It also will call out the active reserve and the eldest classes of the territorial reserve.

Indiana Priest Transferred to Sedalia.

Laporte, Ind., Aug. 31.—Rev. Father Benjamin Alt, assistant pastor of the Precious Blood Catholic church at Fort Wayne, was advised of his transfer to Sacred Heart church at Sedalia, Mo. Father Alt will depart for his new charge the coming week.

Do you need any better heads? We can give you good stock and good work at reasonable prices.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATER.

Four reels of pictures will be shown at the Family this evening and the subjects will embrace both the drama and comedy. The subjects have been carefully selected with especial care for the patrons. The pictures tonight are "One Touch of Nature," "Her Spanish Cousin," "A Song of Sunny Italy," and "The Right to Happiness."

PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight the Princess will show two two-reel features entitled The Property Man, a Keystone comedy with the regular cast of players including Mable Normand, Fatty and Charles Chaplin and the police force and firemen's brigade.

The other feature is entitled A Man's Way, an American drama with Wm. Garwood and Vivian Rich in the leading roles. This is a story of a young man marrying a girl of the mountains and as her lack of education grates upon his nerves he leaves her. His former sweetheart goes to the mountains to visit and meets his wife and, being struck with her sweetness of voice, she takes her away to the city to have it cultivated. One day as Henry Morgan is attending a reception he finds his wife the center of an admiring throng and a reconciliation is brought about.

CALLED BY ILLNESS.

Mr. Charles Brown of Polo and George Brown of Rockford are here called by the serious illness of their father, Mr. Marshall Brown. Mr. Brown submitted to an operation in the Dixon hospital this morning and is in a very critical condition.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to the neighbors and friends for their kindness through the sickness and death of our dear father, Margaret and Mary Hamilton. 20411

Highest quality and lowest prices are as congenial as fire and water. Don't attempt both.—Stone's Impressions.

Advertise in the Telegraph.

MEXICO AGAIN CAUSES TROUBLE FOR UNITED STATES

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ious to the United States government.

President Wilson is still patient, still watchfully waiting, and still hoping to bring Carranza to a realization of his obligation to the United States. He is awaiting the outcome of the mission of his personal representative, Paul Fuller, who is on his way to Mexico City, and hoping that it will result in an announcement that the new provisional president will reform his ways.

The hope of President Wilson is not reflected in army circles. It is known, for instance, although the news has been suppressed by the administration, that Gen. Funston has cabled from Vera Cruz asking for addition troops. His request has not been complied with.

Believe Crisis at Hand.

Shortly after Carranza entered Mexico City, Secretary of Navy Daniels began ordering back vessels of the American fleet which have been stationed on the east coast on Mexico coast Vera Cruz and Tampico. This movement has ceased and it is announced at the navy department that no more vessels will be ordered home "for the present."

Officers of the general staff are frank in admitting that they believe a crisis is at hand and that the Mexican situation is more grave today than at any time during the Huerta regime except, possibly a few days preceding and immediately after the occupation of Vera Cruz by American armed forces.

TO ATTEND SISTER'S FUNERAL

Mrs. Edward Fee and Mrs. Will Hanson and children will go to Racine, Wis., this evening to attend the funeral of Mrs. Martin O'Loughlin, who was formerly Miss Briget Harvey of Dixon. Mrs. O'Loughlin died at her home in Racine this morning, and in addition to her husband and sister, Mrs. Fee, she is survived by four children, Jennie, Catherine, Frank and Harold and three step-children.

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- Great range of capacity
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PENN CORNERS

Pennsylvania Corners, Aug. 29.—Rev. C. L. Stauffer left on Friday for his home at Rock Island. Mrs. Stauffer will continue her visit a few days longer.

Mrs. J. D. Teeter and granddaughter of Chicago, but formerly of this place, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Netz are camping with friends at Assembly park in Dixon.

Thomas Fauldas went to Freeport Wednesday.

Protracted meetings will begin on August 30th at the Christian church Rev. Sword, evangelist.

Jacob Lambert of Ohio was a visitor on Thursday here, being called by the very serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Miller.

J. C. Miller was in Dixon Thursday.

Paul Ellis left on last Monday for a visit in Tipton and Marshalltown, Iowa.

Mrs. H. C. Yates of Needah, Wis., who has been a visitor here, left for home Thursday.

Miss Mary Blanche Hildebrand of Burlington, Ia., who has been a visitor with Mrs. J. F. Bovey, an aunt, left for her home on last Wednesday.

Miss Agnes Newcomer of Oregon is spending the week with the Misses Frank at Pine Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Butterbaugh, Mrs. George Stauffer attended a district meeting this week of the church of the Brethren held in Chicago. Mrs. Stauffer was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Brantner, from near Mt. Morris. The ladies will prolong their stay with friends and relatives.

C. A. Dimick and wife are still in the east, where Mr. Dimick was called on account of the severe illness of his father.

Mrs. D. F. Seyster and Miss Seyster were in Dixon Friday.

Miss Flossie Lambert of Dixon was here recently visiting with relatives and friends.

Chicken and meat thieves are at large here, several families making known their losses. The guilty ones are going to get caught unless they quit right now. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Jess Seyster was a recent caller in Dixon.

Rev. Seyster went to Savanna Saturday.

ADVICE FOR AUTO OWNERS.
A well known auto manufacturer offers some good advice to owners of cars. He says:

Every owner of an automobile should know the car he drives from the radiator to the lamp. Become thoroughly familiar with its every detail and you will experience less trouble than the owner who just allows the car to run as long as it can. The careful motorist husbands strength in the car he drives and remembers the don't's.

Never drive fast on slippery streets is the first law laid down and it is one which should be remembered, for wet streets cause a car to skid and the greater the speed the greater the risk of accident.

Never drive with a fully retarded spark. Never start motor with open throttle. Never neglect lubrication of your car. Never attempt to start the motor on advanced spark. Never drive fast around turns or on rough roads. Never apply brakes suddenly except in case of emergency.

Never attempt to shift into reverse gear when going ahead. Never allow your clutch to engage suddenly. Never race your motor. Never release your car. Never attempt to start the motor with any of the transmission gears in mesh. Have gear shift in neutral.

Study carefully the method given for starting motor, starting shifting gears, driving and stopping your car. If unusual sounds develop, investigate and find the cause. Do not allow them to continue as an accident may result. Do not tamper with the carburettor unless you know it is out of adjustment, and not even then unless you know what you are doing. Keep your tires well inflated at all times. Never allow them to get under sixty pounds pressure; it is far better to keep them at seventy-five.

The plugs should be taken out of the oil pan every 600 to 1000 miles, the oil drained and oil pan washed out. Clean oil should then be added through breather pipe on motor on the four cylinder, nine quarts, and on the six cylinder, twelve quarts when replenishing with new supply.

If every owner of a motor car remembers each of these suggestions, the garage and repair man would not be so large. Besides there is that big factor of safety to be considered. Follow these suggestions and your car will be in such perfect order that an accident will be due only to your own carelessness and not mechanical fault.

AROUND THE WORLD

Little Items of Interest Picked Up Here and There by Associated Press Correspondents.

TO ABANDON ISLAND.

Auckland, N. Z.,—Sunday Island, a verdant tract of seven miles by five, in the Kermadec group of the South Pacific, is to be abandoned.

The thirteen persons who have been living a Crusoe-like life there have been driven to desperation by loneliness, rats, volcanic rumblings, and other afflictions, and the New Zealand government is to bring the party back to civilization.

Thomas Bell, who was landed on the island by a whaler in 1878 held undisputed possession of the place for 20 years, but the New Zealand government later apportioned the island among a number of settlers. Since then frequent attempts have been made to colonize the place, but Bell is the only one who stuck it out from the first. Even now, though the other twelve settlers are sick of the place, Bell says he would remain if the government would recognize his ownership.

While oranges, bananas and tobacco thrive on the island, there are no coconuts, and the crops which the handful of islanders try to plant are often destroyed by the small Pacific rats which infest the place, and a surviving volcano frequently gives the whole island a shiver.

BEAUTIES PASSING.

Tokio, Japan.—The golden age of beautiful women is passing according to Admiral Yashiro, minister of the navy, who with friendly paternalism has been observing the choice of wives which naval officers have made.

"For over ten years," he said, "the idea has obtained in the navy that the officers were a kind of diplomat and that their wives must be pretty and charming. The officers were always looking for pretty, modernized women with a view to marriage. 'Now, however,' he observed, 'things are changing. The marriageable naval officers of today are looking for women who are sober in mind and health in body. It is probably due to the object lesson furnished by the husbands taxed with pretty but luxurious, vain and uncontrollable wives.'

Admiral Yashiro said that although the number of selfish people had increased in Japan, as witness the recent naval bribery case, he was convinced that the people as a whole would not countenance such conduct and such an attitude toward life. The Japanese would, he thought, return in a great measure to the old principles of loyalty, altruism, and patriotism.

MAY BUILD HOMES.

Panama.—Owing to the great demand for quarters and the congested condition of those owned by the Panama Canal government, Col. G. W. Goethals, governor, has decided to permit many of the employees to build their own homes on the Canal Zone under certain restrictions. Since the concentration of a large part of the canal force on the Pacific side or the Isthmus was begun the demand for quarters has been so great that the Quartermaster's department has been unable to meet it. The permits for these structures will be granted with the understanding that the builders are not to receive any compensation from the canal government in the event of the termination of the owner's services with the canal.

AMERICANS NUMEROUS.

Melbourne.—There are 6,642 Americans in Australia, according to a report just made by the official statistician of the commonwealth.

The Germans on the island continent number 32,990, the Chinese, 20,775; Scandinavians 14,700; Italians 6,719, and the Japanese 3,474.

The number of Japanese is of interest because of the suspicion often voiced in Australia regarding the Japanese government and people.

The rate of natural increase in population is high, being 2.03 per cent, and it appears from the official estimates that the total population of the island continent will soon be five millions.

DON'T LIKE COLOR.

London.—The growing prejudice in England against "color" has been a subject of newspaper comment of late in the London Press. A typical letter of the kind comes from a writer, who says:

"Among the men who poured into the smoking room of a city restaurant was a faultlessly dressed negro of distinguished appearance. He took a seat at a vacant table which would accommodate four persons. All the other tables in the room were quickly filled and there was not an inch of space to spare—except at the negro's table. Rather than sit in his company, patrons went out again. Even the waitresses ignored the dusky one. It was fully twenty minutes before he was served, and then only in response to almost pathetic appeals.

"Can it be," asks the writer, "that the American color prejudice is creeping into our midst?"

SELECT CRUISER.

Tokio.—The first class armored cruiser Tsukuba has been selected to take part in the opening of the Panama canal instead of the cruiser Chikuma. The Tsukuba with the cruiser Ibuki will sail for Hampton Roads about the middle of October, going by way of the Suez canal and the Atlantic ocean. The Tsukuba is a much larger ship than the Chikuma being almost 14,000 tons in displacement and having a speed of 21 knots. She was built in 1905 and carried a main armament of twelve six-inch guns.

CHARGE AMERICANS.

Sydney.—The advancing cost of living in Australia, charging in part to "the machinations of the American meat trust" has caused the state government of Queensland, where the Chicago packing firms are said to have gained a foothold, to propose exercising its power of resumption over many holdings of grazing land, with a view to raising cattle. Wool has heretofore been the prime consideration among Australian ranchmen, but at the recent meeting of the Sheepbreeders' Association, its president, Sir Francis Suttor, urging the breeding of meat-producing sheep.

EXECUTE TRAITOR.

Tokio.—The fact that an attempt was made by a Japanese sailor to blow up the Japanese battleship Nisshin in November, 1912, has been brought to light by the recent conviction and the execution of death sentence upon the guilty seaman. Two men were killed and seventeen wounded in the explosion, which failed, however, to destroy the warship.

The seaman was Sankirichi Furuta, a second warrant officer of the Nisshin, and, according to his ultimate confession the motive for the act was revenge. He declared that inferior men had been promoted over him. He therefore plotted to destroy the ship and all on board. He ignited a heavy charge of powder while the warship was at Shizoko.

The real cause of the disaster was rigorously kept secret. Naval authorities explained that the powder in the magazine accidentally exploded. Meanwhile Furuta was secretly arrested and submitted to close examination at a naval court martial. After nearly ten months' inquiries the examination was recently brought to an end and the judgment of death pronounced.

MODELS OF LOCKS.

Panama.—Working models of the locks at Pedro Miguel and the Gatun Dam and Spillway will form the main feature of the Panama canal exhibit at the Panama National Exhibition which will be held at Panama concurrently with the formal opening of the canal next March. The plans also are underway for a large and important exhibition by the department of public health of the canal government. This is to take the form of maps of the city of Colon and Panama, showing the decrease in sickness and the death rate in the various districts and photographs showing the condition of these towns and the Canal Zone before the sanitation work began and as it is today.

No. 159, Series of 1913.

FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court on the 27th day of August, A. D. 1914, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing cement concrete curbing, vitrified brick or block pavement and special stormwater inlet on Central Place, Fifth Street and Depot Avenue in the City of Dixon constructed in said City of Dixon under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number 159, Series of 1913, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown by said certificate are as follows:

13914.71	square yards of vitrified brick or block pavement at One and Forty-seven hundredths (1.47) Dollars per square yard. . .	\$20454.62
461.1	linear feet of cement concrete curbing at thirty (30) cents per linear foot . . .	138.33
804.25	cubic feet of concrete backing for pavement across I. C. Railroad grounds at thirty-five (35) cents per cubic foot. . .	281.49
1	special stormwater inlet at fifty-five (55) Dollars . . .	55.00
962.3	linear feet of curb repaired at . . .	256.00
4	manhole covers adjusted to grade at one (\$1.00) Dollar each . . .	4.00
1	catch basin, extra. . .	8.50
	Total cost of work . . .	\$21197.94
	Lawful expense . . .	1272.04
	Total cost of improvement . . .	\$22469.98
	Add for lapsing interest on bonds . . .	2.83
	Total . . .	\$22472.81

Public notice is further given that the court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at nine o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, the 21st day of September, A. D. 1914 or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will permit.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 31st day of August, A. D. 1914.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

By MARK C. KELLER, Its Attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer for sanitary and stormwater purposes in East Second Street from the east line of Noble Avenue to the manhole heretofore constructed near the east line of Artesian Place in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance Number 169, Series of 1914 of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's office in said City of Dixon until two o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, the 11th day of September, A. D. 1914, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon, (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on

file in the Mayor's office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as stated above, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

That the work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 997 cubic yards of excavation; 725 linear feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid); 160 linear feet of 10" sewer pipe (laid); 580 linear feet of 6" sewer pipe (laid); 20 linear feet of 10" stormwater pipe and trap (laid); 1 manhole, 4 feet inside with iron steps and cover complete; 2 manholes, 3 feet inside, with iron steps and covers complete; 1 lamp-hole with cast iron cover; 2 catch basins with gutter grates and curb boxes, complete; as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 169, Series of 1914 of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Twelve Hundred Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is completed, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at Five per centum per annum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's office, and also may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements and Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 31st day of August, A. D. 1914.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

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Harrisburg, Ill., Man Disappears. Harrisburg, Ill., Aug. 31.—Jesse Pfiffer has been missing from this city since July 23. His wife is prostrated. The only news she has heard from him was that he was sick in Mount Vernon, Ind., shortly after he disappeared.

Sells 1,033 Acres for \$65,000. Quincy, Ill., Aug. 31.—In the Adams county recording office a transfer of 1,033 acres of land in Lima township, near Quincy, was made by W. M. Turley to David M. Cummings and Grace Berquist of Chicago for \$65,000.

Falls Four Stories to Death. River Grove, Ill., Aug. 31.—Gustave Lutter of River Grove plunged to his death from a fourth-story window of the West Side hospital. He is believed to have become delirious from fever.

Killed by Switch Engine. Abilene, Mich., Aug. 31.—Frank Miles, forty-five years old, of Cleveland, O., was killed by a switch engine at Marengo, west of here, Saturday.

ANNOUNCEMENT

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Treasurer of Lee County subject to the Republican primaries to be held on September 9, 1914.

Your vote and your influence will be appreciated. JOHN E. MOYER.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate on the republican ticket for representative in congress from the 13th congressional district subject to the primary to be held September 9th next.

JOHN C. M'KENZIE.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Sheriff of Lee County, on the Republican ticket, at the primaries to be held on September 9, 1914. I will appreciate the support of the voters.

A. T. TOURTELLOTT.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce my candidacy or the nomination on the Republican ticket, for the office of County Judge of Lee county, subject to the will of he voters at the republican primaries Sept. 9th, 1914. Your support will be appreciated.

JOHN B. CRABTREE.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The undersigned announces his candidacy for the nomination of County Treasurer of Lee County on a Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primaries, Sept. 9, 1914.

C. P. REID.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I am a Progressive candidate at the September Primary election for Treasurer of Lee county. I respectfully submit my candidacy to the voters of our county and will appreciate very much your support.

Yours truly, E. J. COUNTRYMAN.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I, the undersigned, announce myself as a candidate for the nomination or sheriff of Lee county on the republican ticket, at the primaries September 9th, 1914, subject to the will of the voters. I will appreciate your support.

W. J. EDWARDS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I, the undersigned, announce myself as a candidate on the Republican ticket for the nomination for State Representative, from the Thirty-Fifth Senatorial District of the State of Illinois, subject to the will of the voters at the Republican primaries, to be held on September 9, 1914.

WILLIAM L. LEECH.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination and election to the office of County Clerk.

FRED G. DIMICK.

FOR SENATOR.

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for state senator from the 35th district. I will appreciate the support of the voters at the primaries to be held September 9.

ADAM C. CLIFFE, Sycamore.

They were discussing the North American Indian in a rural school, relates a British weekly, when the teacher asked if anyone could tell him what the leaders of the tribes were called.

"Chief," answered a bright little girl at the head of the class.

"Correct," answered the teacher. "Now can you tell me what the women were called?"

There was a silence for a minute or two and then a small boy's hand waved aloft.

"Well, Frankie?" asked the teacher.

"Mischief," he proudly announced.

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Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an Execution issued out of the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, and State of Illinois, and to me directed whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgment recently obtained against C. S. Busing in favor of Mary A. Trostle out of the Lands, Tenements, Goods, Chattels of the said C. S. Busing have levied on the following described property, to-wit: All the title, interest and claim of Busing in and to Lots Four Five (5), Six (6), in Block Two three (23) in the Town of Franklin, in Lee County, Illinois.

Therefore, according to said mand, I shall expose for sale at the auction, all the right, title and interest of the above named C. Busing in and to the above described property, at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, the Nineteenth day of September, 1914, at the North of Court House in Dixon, Ill.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, the day of August, 1914.

C. P. REID, Sheriff of Lee Co.

Aug. 2



R. R. PHILLIPS

(Chief Deputy Sheriff)

Republican Candidate for SHERIFF OF LEE COUNTY

Primary September 9, 1914

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KING GEORGE
Ruler of England Reviewing Reserves Who May Soon Fight



REPORT LEIPZIG CAPTURED
French and English Cruisers Reported Towing German Vessel in Port.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 31.—The German cruiser Leipzig has been captured in a sea battle with the French cruiser Montcalm and the English cruiser Rainbow off the Pacific coast and 120 of her crew have been killed, according to the Vancouver World in an extra edition. The World adds that the disabled cruiser is being brought to Victoria.

The capture of the Leipzig had been rumored in Victoria and other British Columbia cities all day before the announcement made by the World. The authorities at the Esquimalt navy yards have not confirmed the reported battle.

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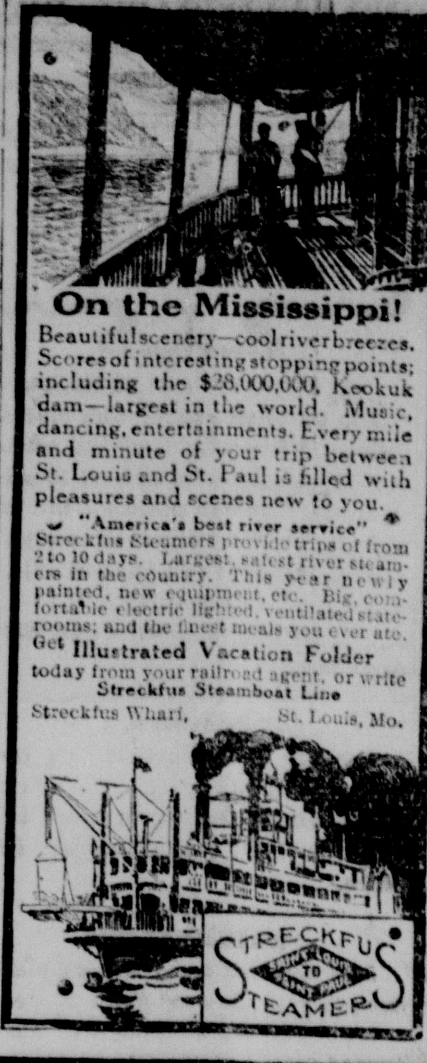
MARKETS
Chicago, Aug. 31 1914

Wheat—	Sept 111 1/2	112	109	111 1/2
Dec 115 1/2	116 1/2	114	115 1/2	
May 123 1/2	123 1/2	121	122 1/2	
Corn—	Sept 79 1/2	80 1/2	79	79 1/2
Dec 72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	
May 75	75 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	
Oats—	Sept 49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Dec 52 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2	
May 55	55 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	
Pork—	Sept 2075	2075	2050	2055
Jan 2265	2265	2265	2265	
Lard—	Sept 1007	1025	1007	1022
Oct 1035	1047	1032	1042	
Ribs—	Sept 1255	1257	1252	1252
Oct 1217	1240	1217	1249	

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TIME TABLE
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.
Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.
Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a.m.
123 Southern Exp. 11:16 a.m.
31 Clinton Exp. 6:10 p.m.
Amboy Freight 8:50 a.m.

North Bound.
132 Waterloo Exp. 9:59 a.m.
24 Local Mail 5:35 p.m.
20 Local Exp. 8:16 p.m.
Freeport Freight 12:30 p.m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified.

East Bound to Chicago.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
6 3:33 a.m. 6:45 a.m.
24 6:23 a.m. 9:05 p.m.
28 7:22 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
18 8:05 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
0 10:58 a.m. dly ex Sun 2:40 p.m.
14 1:16 p.m. 4:00 p.m.
4 4:21 p.m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p.m.
100 4:15 p.m. Sun only 7:50 p.m.
12 6:10 p.m. 8:45 p.m.

West Bound.
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun 10:20 a.m.
9 7:10 a.m. Sun only 10:23 a.m.
19 10:15 a.m. 12:50 p.m.
9 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p.m.
27 4:20 p.m. 7:26 p.m.
11 6:05 p.m. 8:40 p.m.
25 6:10 p.m. 8:57 p.m.
17 9:31 p.m. 11:53 p.m.
* 10:02 p.m. 12:36 a.m.
3 10:45 p.m. 1:57 a.m.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria
801 8:35 Peoria Pas. 11:52 a.m.
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IT'S HARD TO WORK
When Suffering from Kidney Ills.—Many Dixon People Find This To Be True.

What's so hard as a day's work with an aching back?
Or sharp "stabs" of pain with every sudden twist or turn?
There is no peace from the dull ache—
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EN ROUTE TO VISIT DETROIT

Identification Made From Letters and Cards Found on Bodies—Engineer Is Hit on Head by Shattered Machine and Stunned—Train Running Seventy Miles Per Hour.

Collinsville, Mo., Aug. 31.—Two men and their wives were killed fifteen miles east of Collinsville, when a fast inbound train from New York on the Vandalia line struck an automobile in which the party was touring from Oklahoma to Detroit.

Identification of the four is based principally on letters and papers found in the pockets of the two men. From these it appears the dead are Robert Grandman and wife, each about sixty years old, and M. H. Pahl and wife, the man about thirty-five and the woman probably thirty years old.

Letters found indicate the Grandmans resided on a rural route near Lamont, Okla.

On Way to Detroit.

Post cards and letters addressed to Grandman and signed "Your brother Louis," were postmarked in Detroit and indicated that the four were expected to make a visit in that city.

The letters to the party were addressed to "R. F. D. No. 11, Elm Grove farm, Lamont, Okla." The men had about \$50 between them and the baggage indicated plans for an extended trip.

It is supposed that Mrs. Pahl was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grandman. The automobile carried a banner, "Oklahoma to Michigan" and bore a license issued in Billings, Okla., No. 2814.

A telegram from Billings gave the information that Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Pahl lived on a farm near Billings and that they departed in an auto about a week ago.

Automobile Is Wrecked.

After the automobile had been struck there wasn't a piece of it, except the engine, according to those early on the scene of the wreck, that couldn't have been carried away in one hand.

The train ran two miles before it stopped. This was partly due to the extreme speed, estimated at more than seventy miles an hour, and partly because a piece of the wrecked auto struck Engineer Schwegler of Terre Haute on the head as he leaned out of the cab to see what had happened.

The engineer was dazed for a few minutes and it was the fireman who jumped over to the right side of the cab and stopped the engine.

"Accident Occurs on 'Race Track'."

The accident occurred a few miles west of St. Jacob, Ill., on what is known to railroad men as "the race track." From St. Jacob to Collinsville, nine miles of the Vandalia track is straight and slightly down grade. It is on this stretch that engineers often seek to make up lost time and trains often cover this space at much less than a mile a minute.

The bodies were brought to Collinsville, where they are held at the undertaking rooms of Martin Schroepel. Coroner J. Morgan Sims will hold an inquest today.

Telegrams have been sent to all addresses found in the pockets of the dead men, and by today it is expected that answers will be received positively identifying the victims.

Steamships Bring Them In.
New York, Aug. 31.—The American liner St. Paul and the French liner Espana brought to this port a total of 1,694 American tourists who from various parts of the European continent made their way to Liverpool and Havre respectively.

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What German Embassy Hears.
 Washington, Aug. 31.—The German embassy received the following message from Berlin via the Salville wireless station on Long Island:

"Former Minister Burns (John Burns, the noted British labor leader and recently a member of the Asquith cabinet), in a speech against the present policy of Earl Grey, has caused a deep impression throughout Europe and particularly in England by his hints of possible fatal consequences to Great Britain through the threatened uprising of the Mohammedan subjects of the crown in view of the news from Turkey which foreshadows active participation by the musselman empire against Russia and Great Britain."

"At Berlin Professor Del Brueck has explained the unheard of unanimity among Germans as based upon a patriotic conviction that the present war constitutes a struggle for the existence of Germany's civilization which has been forced upon the two German peoples."

There was but a single reference to the war situation in the German dispatch and that was embodied in its last paragraph in which it was stated that:

"The government authorities in East Prussia have recalled the fugitive citizens of that section of the empire following the prodigious German victory over the Russian invading army at Gilgenburg."

The battle against Gilgenburg was fought on Friday and resulted in the turning back of a Russian force of five army corps.

London, Aug. 31.—French troops have resumed the offensive against the Germans in the north of France, where both the French and British armies have been reinforced. An official statement announces that French troops have been sent to the British forces in France to more than doubly make up for the losses in battle.

"Every gunner has been replaced and the army is now ready for the next great battle," it is announced.

Turn in the fortunes of war of the allies is believed to have come through the concentration of the 3,000,000 soldiers on France's second line of defense and through the overwhelming successes of the Russians in East Prussia.

The invasion of his eastern territory has forced the kaiser to withdraw nearly all the army to occupy Belgium.

With the correct weakening of his attacking force in France by the urgent need of meeting the czar in battle, the kaiser is exposed to the attack of France's army, which is now operating under the protection of the guns of the strongest fortresses in the world.

Losses to the British in fighting between Aug. 23 and Aug. 26 were between 5,000 and 6,000 men, field Marshal Sir John French, commander of the expeditionary force, estimates.

Two British officers and twenty-seven men were killed and thirty-eight wounded in the naval battle in the light of Heligoland.

NEW ZEALAND SEIZES APIA, GERMAN SAMOA

British Colonials Make Themselves U. S. Neighbors.

London, Aug. 31.—The official bureau issued the following announcement:

"The colonial office has received a telegram from the governor of New Zealand stating that Apia, German Samoa, surrendered at 10 a. m. on Saturday to an expeditionary force sent from New Zealand."

The Samoan group is in the South Pacific ocean, 1,600 miles east of New Zealand and exactly east of the northern cape of Australia, and 4,200 miles southwest of San Francisco. Germany has held eight of the islands, three of which she received from the United States by treaty in 1899. Their chief harbor is Apia, the port just captured.

"The United States owns six islands, including the best harbor of the group, Pago Pago."

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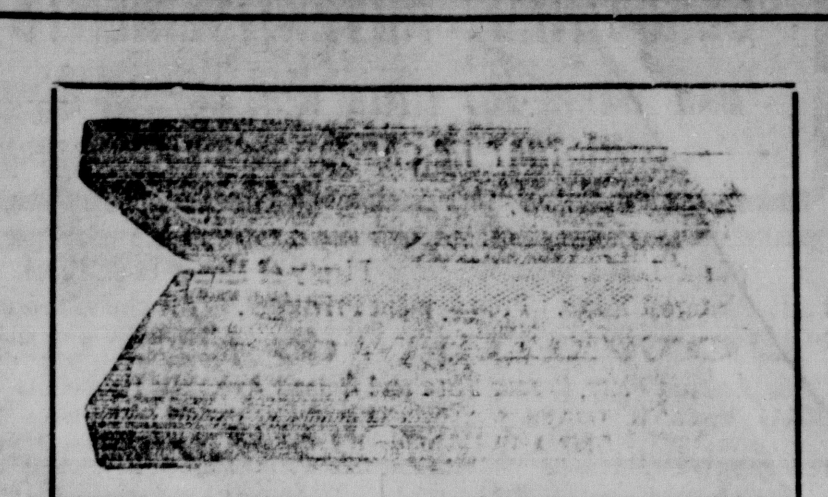
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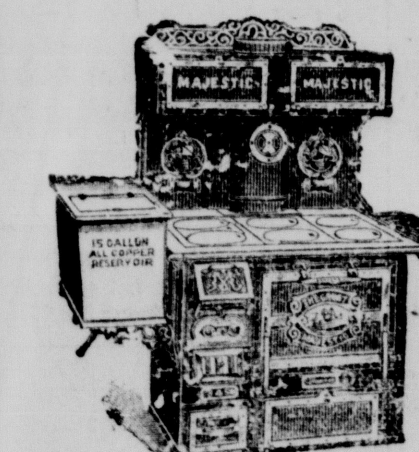
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